



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Edouard G. Lebel

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TITLE: TRANSGENIC PLANTS EXPRESSING A
CELLULASE

GROUP ART UNIT: 1638

EXAMINER: KUBELIK, ANNE R.

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116 AND AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 19, 2005, please take the following remarks and amendments into consideration and make them of record. Submitted herewith is a Request for Continued Prosecution (RCE) with fee by credit card.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 50-1744 in the name of Syngenta Biotechnology Inc.